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The new Student Center was officially opened October 1. Both the Board of Trustees and the Committee of 100 were present for the occasion. Pictured is the lobby of the center.

# Courses Now Held Off-Campus

SMC is presently offering college classes at Madison and Forest Lake Academies. The courses are acceptable at any accredited college.

This program came into being when it was noticed that many academy seniors were taking only two classes to finish their high school requirements. By adding a college class it was felt the students would make better use of their time.

At Madison Academy, English composition is taught by Mrs. Marilee Easter Cothren. Students from Highland Academy join with the Madison class once a week. Enrollment this year is 10.

Forest Lake Academy offers Survey of Civilization, taught by Mr. William Coolidge. The class is composed of 9 students. In the summer, Mrs. Sue Baker of SMC's English department, goes to Forest Lake Academy to teach English composition. She has done this for four years. Last summer her class had 20 students.

Tentative plans are being made to offer a Bible class at Mt. Pisgah Academy. It will be open to students at Pisgah and Fletcher Academies and anyone in the community who is interested. The classes in the other academies are also open to community people.

# **Enrollment Passes 1550**

Student registration at Southern Missionary College surpassed all previous records with a total thus far of 1,555 students, according to Dr. Arno Kutzner, director of admissions and records.

Dr. Kutzner said at this time last year 1,421 students had been registered. The gain is 134 for the current year.

This is the 16th consecutive year SMC has shown a gain, rising from approximately 500 students in 1957-58.

Of the total, 527 are freshmen, 35S are sophomores, and 268 are juniors. There are 112 two-year seniors and 184 four-year seniors. The remainder of the students are taking post-graduate courses or other chosen curricula.

The discipline having the highest number is nursing with over 400 students. Education, both elementary and secondary, has registered 224, pre-medicine 129, theology and religion 127, office administration 61, business administration 53, and pre-dentistry 28.

A total of 47 states are represented in the student body. Students come from 24 foreign countries. There are 428 students from Tennessee and 221 from Florida.

# **United Fund Sets Record**

The United Fund goal of over \$3,500, which represents a 7 percent increase over the previous year's was raised on November 8 just before the campaign closed on November 9.

Supervisory employees of McKee Baking Company, Collegedale Cabinets, Collegedale Academy A. W. Spalding Elementary School, students and faculty of Southern Missionary College combined their efforts to reach this goal, the twelfth consecutive year that the goal has been reached and an honor citation won from the United Fund.

Over the years the campaign committee, as represented by the above groups, has participated in the total welfare work of the Greater Chattanooga area with much of the same spirit that they have shown for their own church and its welfare activities.

# **Distributors Gets New Building**

Collegedale Distributors, in revamping its Eastern United States health food service, has dropped the Florida warehouse, and is building a new enlarged warehouse in the Collegedale area.

The new warehouse should be finished and in use by December. Construction delays have held up completion of the building, but at this time work is progressing steadily.

The facility at the 1-75 interchange in Ooltewah will more than double the 13,000 sq. ft. floor space

of the present warehouse in the College Plaza.

The Committee of 100, a group of SDA businessmen concerned with developing SMC, will own the \$200,000 warehouse and will lease the building to Collegedale Distributors.

There are two primary reasons for the erection of the warehouse. First, the inadequate space of the Florida warehouse made it impossible to stock a wide variety of health foods. Second, overhead will be reduced with one central warehouse, and the shipment system will go through one office at Collegedale instead of duplicating inventory and shipping crews at both Forest City and Collegedale.

Collegedale Distributors, as a business closely allied to the college, funds the college directly from its near \$100,000 yearly profits and indirectly through student labor. The 1973 fiscal year's \$12,210 student payroll showed a \$4,880 gain over the 1972 fiscal

year.

# **Dow Gives Equipment**

Late this past summer SMC was the recipient of a gift from Dow Chemical Company, consisting of the contents of an eight by ten foot trailer filled with items of special value to the biology, physics, industrial arts and chemistry departments.

This is not the first gift received from Dow Chemical Company. In November of 1964, SMC received a truck load of materials from the same Company.



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#### Calendar of Events

- Dec. 1 Johann Strauss Orchestra of Vienna with Walter Goldschmidt, conductor; Birgit Sarata-Pitsch, soprano; Wolfgang Siesz, tenor.
- Dec. 8 SMC Concert Band.
- Dec. 15 Student Association Christmas Program, film "Scrooge."
- Dec. 21 Christmas Vacation Begins.
- Jan. 7, 8 Registration for Second Semester.
- Jan. 12 The Alpha and Omega Players "Spoon River Anthology."
- Jan. 19 Hale and Wilder, bass and tenor. This is their third appearance at SMC, this time presenting their secular concert.

#### Nurses to Get New Facilities

SMC, with about 400 nursing students this year, is operating the largest nursing school in Tennessee and is one of the few in the United States to offer both Associate of Science and Bachelor of Science degrees.

The rapid growth of the department necessitates new housing. Presently the four-year, B.S. program is housed in three mobile homes located between Mc-Kee Library and Hackman Hall. The two-year, A.S. course is housed in Lynn Wood Hall.

Plans for a new nursing building have been sent back to the architect for revisions. The original plans exceeded the budget by about \$100,000, and the plans must stay within \$275,000. There is \$160,000 in the building fund now, and a probable \$50,000 can be obtained through special nursing grants. The remaining funds will be solicited from Chattanooga businesses and friends of the college.

The most probable site under consideration for a building of this size is just south of the McKee Library parking lot.

The B.S. student nurse now receives hospital training at Florida Hospital and Memorial Hospital along with emergency-room training at Erlanger.

The A.S. student nurse receives hospital training at Parkridge and Tri-County Hospitals.

A definite decision concerning the new nursing building is expected to be reached at the December 6 Board Meeting.

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(Signed) J. Mabel Wood, Editor



# student columns

### Student Weddings

Cynthia Lynn Berkeley and Roger Chandler, May 6, 1973, in Ooltewah, Tennessee.

Esther Lou von Pohle and Kenneth Lynn Barnes,

May 6, 1973, in Ooltewah, Tennessee.

Gwendolyn Fay Grove and Brant Lewis Bartlett,

May 12, 1973, in Bunker Hill, West Virginia.

Carolynne Kay Butcher and Robert Joseph Fekete, May 13, 1973, in Collegedale, Tennessee.

Joan Elizabeth Krogstad and Robert F. Dillon, May

13, 1973, in Detroit Lakes, Minnesota.

Susan Carol Pape and James C. Sisson, May 13, 1973, in Collegedale.

Denise Elizabeth Porter and Howard Ernest

Scruggs, May 13, 1973, in Calhoun, Georgia.

Lucynthia Mathiesen and Herbert Haskell Williams, May 20, 1973, in Pittsboro, North Carolina.

Alyse Best Williams and William Allen Hamilton IV, June 10, 1973, in Greeneville, Tennessee.

Helene Dorothy Radke and John Delano Riggs,

July 8, 1973, in Calhoun, Georgia.

Teresa Ann Barrera and Richard Duane Deindoer-

fer, July 22, 1973, in Collegedale.

Betty Lucinda Barrett and Randy Joe Tryon, August 5, 1973, in Athens, Georgia.

Donna Louise Manley and Kenneth Oliver Taylor, August 5, 1973, in Denver, Colorado.

Doreen Yvonne Retzer and Steve Allen Rose, August 5, 1973, in Laurel, Maryland.

Karen Elane Felts and Ernest Gerald Richards, August 12, 1973, in Texarkana, Texas.

Linda Skaggs and Gregory Carter, August 12, 1973, in Madison, Tennessee.

Glenda Lynette Bulmer and Ronald Kohler, August

19, 1973, in Fullerton, California. Sandra Kay Kelly and William Robert Brown, August 19, 1973, in Ooltewah, Tennessee.

# Steven Zollinger Dies

Steven Wayne Zollinger passed to his rest July 14, 1973, in Fletcher, North Carolina, after waging a gallant fight for his life after losing both kidneys to disease in October, 1970. A kidney was removed from his mother and transplanted in Steve's body but after two years that kidney was rejected and for the last six months he was living with the aid of a dialysis machine. His parents are Dr. and Mrs. Lee Zollinger.



# faculty columns

# **Faculty News**

Charles (Chick) Fleming, Jr., general manager of finance and development at SMC, was elected to the board of the Chattanooga Better Business Bureau. Mr. Fleming has been a member of the Chattanooga Rotary Club for over 20 years, and has served with the United Fund and some Chamber of Commerce committees.

Kenneth A. Wright was cited by the Andrews University Alumni Association for Hall of Fame listing because of his contribution to SDA educational work. Elder Wright served for 12 years as president of SMC until ill health necessitated his retirement from administrative work. He has spent the last 13 years as trust field representative of the Florida Conference.

Katherine Whitman Stromberg and Noble B. Vining were married August 22, 1973, in Rock Island, Illinois. Mr. Vining is manager of The College Press and has held this position since 1966.

# **Advanced Degrees**

Kenneth Burke — Ph.D. in foods and nutrition from Florida State University in Tallahassee. The title of his dissertation is, "Site and Effect of Protein Nutri-

ture on Absorption of Aflatoxin B<sub>1</sub> in Rats."

Delmar Franklin Lovejoy — Ed.D. degree in higher education from Michigan State University. The title of his dissertation is "Assessment of a Remedial English Program for Academically Disadvantaged Young Adults at Western Christian College."

Kenneth Edward Spears, '66 — M.B.A. degree from Middle Tennessee State University.

Ellen Jane Gilbert — M.S. in nursing from the State College of Arkansas.

Thomas W. Lant — M.S. in nursing from the University of Maryland.

Barbara Jean Platt, '72 — M.S. in nursing from the University of Alabama.

# Former Faculty Member Dies

Nicholas Lloyd Ingraham (Ingram) passed away July 4, 1973, in Riverside, California. He was preceptor at SJC in 1922-23 and also taught woodwork. After leaving SJC he graduated from nursing at Hinsdale and continued nursing for more than 40 years. His wife, the former Ellen Padgette, taught at SJC for five years in the education department. Mr. Ingram loved writing poetry and had many poems printed in our church papers.



# alumni columns

# Those Who Walked These Halls

1931

Ruth M. Ingram, who for the past 14 years has been Spanish teacher and librarian at College View Academy in Lincoln, Nebraska, is now serving as librarian at the Middle East College in Beirut, Lebanon. Her sisters Ellen Ingram, '30, and Jessie Ingram Gephart are both retired and living in Asheville, North Carolina.

#### 1941

Elsie Landon Buck was named alumna of the year by the Andrews University Alumni Association for her professional achievements in music teaching and her civic role in keeping America beautiful.

#### 1943

Dorothy Reed Stephenson, formerly of Denver, Colorado, is now living in La Jolla, California, where her husband, Charles, has opened a new office. He has just finished a residency in ophthalmology plus a year's fellowship at the University of California in San Francisco, in Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery.

#### 1948

J. A. Soule is pastor of the St. Augustine and Storke churches in Florida. The Soule's older son, Larry, is doing a physical therapy internship in Jacksonville and their younger son, John, is taking his year of medical technology clinical training at Florida Hos-

# **Alumni Homecoming Draws Over 700**



Those on the rostrum for the second church service were: H. Douglas Bennett, '51, Floyd Greenleaf, '55, Joel O. Tompkins, '55, Wallace N. Blair, '53, and R. C. Mizelle, '50.



Members of the Class of 1963 who were present at Homecoming and are in the picture are; (back row from left to right) Joel W. Gearhart, Edward Mottschiedler, Robert McCurdy, Richard Martin, Sylvia Fowler Marchant, Benjamin L. Ringer, Frederic D. Haerich; (front row from left to right) May Sue Pierson, Brenda Botts Riley, Joseph Weiss, Darrel K. Cross, Myrna Woolsey Dent, Donna Jean Walker Haerich, and Dolly Fish.



The following members of the Class of 1923 who graduated 50 years ago and returned for Homecoming are: Robert E. Cowdrick, Elizabeth Cowdrick, C. A. Woolsey, Cora Fox Woolsey and Masie White Jameson.



Those on the platform for the Friday night vesper service were: Milford G. Crist, '71; Minon A. Hamm, '66; Alumni President Floyd Greenleaf, '55; Guest Speaker Mazie A. Herin, '37; SMC President Frank Knittel; J. Don Crook, '53; and Drew Turlington, '51.



Members of the 25-Year Honor Class who graduated in 1948 and were present at Homecoming are: Robert S. Bishop, Robert G. Swofford, Ervin B. Stewart, Miriam Ditzel Darnall, John S. (Jack) Darnall, Elmer L. Black, and Harold N. Sheffield.



New Alumni Association Officers are, from left to right: Ted Mohr, '71, treasurer; Lois Mohr, '72, secretary; Dr. Harold Sheffield, '48, president-elect; Dr. Douglas Bennett, '51, president; and Jim Walters, '68, publicity secretary. Not pictured is Peggy Bennett, '56, assistant secretary. pital in Orlando and will graduate from SMC next spring.

#### 1949

Earl M. Clough is teaching mathematics and is assistant to the principal of Gilmer County High School in West Virginia. He is also helping to start a self-supporting school on 116 acres of land near Rosedale, West Virginia.

#### 1950

Charles DeArk, Sr., is teaching Special Education for the Metro Education Department in Nashville.

#### 1951

Burton L. Wright has served in the South-East Africa Union, Malamulo College, principal of Mombera Secondary School, the North Lake Field and now after a three months furlough in the United States he is returning to Africa to teach in the ministerial department of Solusi College. The Wrights oldest daughter, Judy, is a sophomore nursing student at SMC. Jim, 16, and Jean, 15, are in the academy near Gwelo, Rhodesia. Jonathon, age 7, is attending school in Solusi.

#### 1952

Thomas S. Stone is the principal of the nine-grade church school in Tappahannock, Virginia. The building is new and they have open classrooms—no partitions. It is completely carpeted and all take off their shoes and wear slippers in the classroom. Mrs. Stone, a graduate nurse, works at Tidewater Memorial Hospital.

Elder Wallace D. Welch moved to Florida last December where he is the youth evangelist and temperance secretary of the conference. Before that he was MV secretary in the Ohio Conference. Mrs. Welch works at Florida Hospital. Son, Steve, is a freshman at SMC and Sherry is a senior at Forest Lake Academy.

#### 1953

Elder C. L. Beason and his wife, Janet, comprise the evangelistic team for the Pennsylvania Conference. Mrs. Beason gives nightly health talks and he presents the doctrinal messages.

#### 1954

Nobel A. Carlson is teaching at Boys' World, Inc., in Dobbins, California. Boys' World was started seven years ago by Carl Anderson, for boys who need a temporary home or special help in their schooling. They serve primarily grades 4-9 and have an enrollment this year of 24.

Elder Alfred C. McClure is president of the Wyoming Conference. He was ministerial and stewardship secretary of the Georgia-Cumberland Conference since 1967.

#### 1957

Robert E. Bowers, M.D., is in practice of otolaryngology in Memphis, Tennessee. Dr. Bowers received his training in otolaryngology at the University of Tennessee in Memphis.

#### 1958

Elder and Mrs. Harold S. Johnson (Marjorie Connell, '53) are at Laurelbrook School near Dayton, Tennessee. Elder Johnson is Bible teacher and chaplain at the school. Mrs. Johnson has gained a little weight and was able to be at SMC in a wheelchair for Homecoming.

Eugene T. Rimmers is assistant treasurer of the Michigan Conference. Previously he has been accountant in the Michigan Conference office.

#### 1959

Mr. Fernando Cardona lives in Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, and is secretary of stewardship and development for the East Puerto Rico Conference.

S. R. (Jerry) Holdridge, Jr., teaches mathematics for grades 5-8 in the Keene, Texas, elementary school. He has held this position for the last five years and has taught a total of 14 years.

#### 1960

Bernard Danzel DeVasher who has been teaching physics and mathematics at Highland Academy is now studying to be a nurse anesthetist, in Nashville, Tennessee.

David W. Hamilton is teaching economics at Harvard University. Previously he worked at United Nations and was sent on a special mission to Ethiopia for United Nations.

H. Lane Schmidt is teaching music at Mount Vernon Academy in Ohio. Since graduating, Mr. Schmidt has taught at Maplewood Academy, Mount Pisgah Academy and Greater Miami Academy.

Jerry D. Vanerwegen is an assistant professor of mathematics

at Chattanooga State Technical Community College. He held the same position at the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga for seven years.

#### 1961

Donald E. Hall, Ph.D., has just received an M.A. in music from the University of Iowa. Although he gave an organ recital and played Renaissance winds in the Collegium, he was a theory major and did independent work in scale tuning theory and in computer music. He is teaching physics and astronomy at the University of Colorado in Denver and working on a research project in acoustics for which a research grant of \$15,000 for equipment has just been received.

#### 1962

James C. Culpepper, assistant administrator at Porter Memorial Hospital in Denver, Colorado, spent six weeks during March and April assisting in the transfer of Saigon Adventist Hospital from their small 43 bed facility to the newly leased U.S. Third Field Army Hospital. The Culpeppers have two children, Lori, 14, and Greg, 12.

#### 1963

Darrell K. Cross is administrator and co-owner of a nursing home in Kileen, Texas. Mrs. Cross is the former Billie Flowers, '65, and is housewife and mother of their two sons, Tony, 6, and Scotty, 2.

Elder Gerald N. Kovalski, who has been pastor and religion teacher at Bass Memorial Academy, is now youth, temperance and communications secretary of the Alabama-Mississippi Conference and is living in Montgomery, as the conference office is being moved there from Meridian. He and his wife, the former Sandra Collier, '62, have three children: Jerry, 10; Karen, 8; and Jeffrey, 1.

W. Lamar Phillips and his brother, L. Edgel Phillips, '65, are doing self-supporting work in Costa Rica. Edgel Phillips writes: "We send our greetings to our friends and classmates. Costa Rica has been kind to us and we are enjoying our challenge to help further the Lord's work in this place. This is a land of hot tropics and cold volcanoes, rich Latins and poor farmers, new cars and old ox carts, super markets and country stores, cobblestone and

expressway. It seems the old and the new are the best of friends.

Jeanine Perry Solomon received a master of education degree from the University of Miami in June, 1973. Mrs. Solomon and her husband, Stanley, live in Miami where her husband is a lawyer.

Elder and Mrs. Dudley Nichols, both of the class of '63, are now living in Madison, Tennessee, where he is pastor of the Madison Boulevard church. Mrs. Nichols is church secretary and housewife. The Nichols have two children: Loren, 7; and Vivian, 4.

Lindley B. Richert is with the Wall Street Journal as staff reporter in the bond and corporate finance department. He and his wife, Charlene, are the parents of three boys: Arlin, Ricky and Michael. The Richerts live in Somerset, New Jersey.

#### 1964

David M. Rouse and his family live in Singapore where he is dean of boys at Far Eastern Academy.

#### 1965

Elder D. Wayne McNutt, who has been Bible teacher at Mount Pisgah Academy, is now principal of Highland Academy in Tennessee.

M. Dianne Tennant was installed May, 1973, as president of the Chattanooga area Council of the International Reading Association. Miss Tennant is reading teacher and consultant, and assistant principal of the Arthur Spalding School in Collegedale.

Kingsley P. Whitsett is teaching Bible at Greater Miami Academy. Before this he was at Highland View Academy in Maryland. His wife, the former Nancy Wendell, also graduated in '65, from the four-year nursing program.

#### 1966

Marilyn M. Crooker is back in Huntsville, still working for Computer Sciences Corporation, but now working on the Safeguard Project.

Garland Ray Cross is teaching grades 5 and 6 at Intermountain Junior Academy in Grand Junction, Colorado.

Betty Belew Grogg lives in Columbus, Ohio, and works for a senior citizens' recreation center while her husband, David, works as an accountant.

Stephen Errol Hayes was grad-

uated from Eastern Tennessee State University in June with a master of arts degree in industrial arts. He is teaching at the high school in Ninety-six, South Carolina.

#### 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Hall have just completed four years of teaching at Fletcher Academy and have moved to Loma Linda where Mr. Hall is enrolled as a freshman dental student at LLU. Mrs. Hall (Diane Wilson, '69) is working as a secretary in the School of Health.

Ralph H. Ruckle, M.D., is taking a residency in family practice at St. Joseph Hospital in Flint, Michigan after having completed his internship at St. Vincent Hospital and Medical Center in Toledo, Ohio. He and his wife, the former Dianne Parker, '67, are the parents of one son, Brion.

#### 1968

Vivian Faye Lester is principal of the Lynwood Elementary Church School. She taught at the La Sierra Demonstration School for the two years previous to this. Miss Lester received a master's degree in education from LLU in 1972.

Rosanne Ahl Norman lives in Los Angeles where she works at White Memorial Hospital in the medical records department. She and her husband, James, have two children, James Lamar, 5, and Angelique Renee, 1.

A. Stephen Patrick, who has taught at Bass Memorial Academy and Greater Miami Academy, is now teaching Spanish and religion at Forest Lake Academy. He completed his M.Ed. from Miami University in 1972.

James William Walters is living in Collegedale and has charge of finance and development for station WSMC-FM. Before this he was pastor in the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.

#### 1969

Wesley James Burke graduated from Emory School of Dentistry in June, 1973, and has opened a dental office in Ellijay, Georgia. Mrs. Burke, '69, is the former Candace Cummings.

Connie Arnold Jackson has moved from Pensacola, Florida, to Madison, Tennessee, where her husband, Elbert E. Jackson, D.D.S., has bought a dental practice on the Madison Campus. Mrs. Jackson is kept busy as her husband's office receptionist.

Kathleen Johnson Martin and her husband, Gerald, have returned from teaching at Marienhoehe Missionary Seminary in Darmstadt, Germany. They are both working on doctorates at the University of Mississippi in Oxford. Mrs. Martin is taking her work in art.

#### 1970

Mr. and Mrs. Larry G. Johnson, both of '70, are living in Greeneville, Tennessee, where Mr. Johnson is working with a group of anesthetists after having completed the nurse-anesthetist course at Madison Hospital.

David Bryan McBroom received an M.D. degree from LLU School of Medicine, Sept. 30, 1973. He began his internship in pediatrics and internal medicine at Riverside General Hospital in Riverside California, November 1.

Harry C. Nelson graduated September 30, 1973, from LLU School of Medicine. His wife, the former Lynda Marlene Kostenko, also graduated from the LLU School of Medicine in the same class. They are under appointment as missionaries to the Inter-American Division after they finish their postgraduate studies.

Charles L. (Chuck) Williams, his wife, the former Susie Shacklett, '68, and daughter, Marie, have returned from a term of mission service in the Zaire Union in Africa where Mr. Williams was publishing department secretary. He is now publishing secretary in the Texas Conference. Mrs. Williams returned home early and spent 10 months in a dietetic internship at Emory University in Atlanta.

#### 1971

Richard F. Dailey completed an M.S. degree in chemistry at the University of Tennessee this past summer and is now attending Emory University, working on a doctorate.

Elsie-Rae Pike Davis is presently living in Keene, Texas, while her husband, Benton, finishes his senior year at Southwestern Union College. Their year-old son, Benjamin Reuben, recently had a miraculous recovery from meningitis.

Michael Lewis Foxworthy is community relations officer at New England Memorial Hospital.













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Dixon

Kowarsch Shelton

He previously served as public relations director at Leland Memorial Hospital in Riverdale, Maryland.

Colleen Smith Garber is working on an M.A. in Radio-TV at Ohio University in Athens, Ohio. Her husband, Bill, is working on a doctorate in mass communications at the same university.

Penny Nielsen Hawkins has completed a master's of education degree in reading this past summer. She and her husband, Bob, vacationed in Florida and enjoyed seeing classmates from SMC. They live in Memphis.

In a letter from Bradley G. Hyde, he recounts some of his experiences in getting to Pakistan —one plane was delayed two and one half hours due to the heat-119 degrees. The next flight was delayed two hours and then cancelled due to dust storms. To quote him on his teaching experiences: "Teaching here is no trouble except how do you explain ultra violet light to someone who has never seen it and there is none available? There is very little equipment for physics, plus the language barrier which exists despite the seven years training in English. Then one class informs you they do not know how to work fractions or decimals let alone exponents. I guess mostly you don't give up. You teach them what they must learn so you keep on."

Pastor and Mrs. Ben C. Maxson (Mary Louise Holmes, '70) are workers in the North Argentine Mission. Mrs. Maxson writes that evangelistic meetings are being held in an area where no work has been done previously. Between 600 and 700 people have been in attendance each night and about 200 are receiving Bible studies. June 3, 105 people were baptized. Pastor Maxson is the MV and temperance secretary for the Mission.

Lynda Hughes Seidel has been promoted to publications editor for Kettering Medical Center, which includes both the Hospital and Kettering College of Medical Arts. Lynda's husband, David, passed his orals for the American Registry of Respiratory Therapists and is now supervisor in the pulmonary intensive care unit at Kettering Hospital.

Richard Allan Stepanske has

Richard Allan Stepanske has passed the examinations and become a Certified Public Accountant. He is working for Huskins and Sells, a national CPA firm, in Nashville, Tennessee.

Raymond William Wagner is teaching industrial arts at Mount Vernon Academy in Ohio. He spent 1971-72 in Nicaragua with the SMC Mission Project.

#### 1972

The Ronald Clifford Browns have bought a newly-constructed house just two miles from Forest Lake Academy and three blocks from Bear Lake in Maitland, Florida. Mrs. Brown (Glenda Jansen, '67) works for the Florida Conference and Mr. Brown works in the business office of the Florida Hospital.

Betty Jane Carey is a nurse in the Bella Vista Hospital in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Hogan (Bonnie Pumford, '71) recently moved to Cross City, Florida, where he is in charge of the Cross City and Jennings Lake churches.

Beecher Lafever, Jr., will finish his master's degree in Public Health in December. He, his wife, the former Jo Anne Wassell, '66, and daughter, Jill, will be leaving for Karachi, Pakistan, in February. Mr. Lafever will be starting a respiratory therapy department in the Adventist Hospital there.

Paul Wesley May is doing graduate work, on a fellowship, at Massachusetts Institute of Technology in oceanography.



Smoot

# **Grads Ordained**

Joseph Grady Smoot, Ph.D., '65, was ordained at the Michigan Camp Meeting in July. Dr. Smoot is vice-president for academic affairs at Andrews University. He has previously served as pastor, teacher, and academic dean at Columbia Union College. His wife is the former Irma Jean Kopitzke who was in the secretarial department at SMC. The Smoots have one son, Christopher, eleven years old. Dr. Smoot is listed in Who's Who in America.

John Cecil Leach, '67, was ordained also at the Michigan Camp Meeting in July. He is pastor of the Lapeer, Otter Lake and Imlay City churches. Elder Leach is married to the former Zadie Garner, '66, who has a B.S. in nursing. The Garners are the parents of Mark, age 3. Elder Leach has a B.D. degree from Andrews University.

B. Russell Holt, '67, was ordained to the ministry, June 15, 1973, at the Indiana Camp Meeting, and is serving as pastor of the Marion, Indiana, district. Elder Holt has a B.D. degree from Andrews University which he received in 1969.

George Allen Powell, '68, was ordained at the Alabama-Mississippi Camp Meeting in May, 1973. He and his wife, Maureen Sykes, '68, are the parents of two-year-

old Roland Foy. Elder Powell is pastor of the Florence, Alabama, church and Mrs. Powell works as surgical nurse in the hospital.

Among those who were ordained at the Carolina Camp Meeting were: Paull Errett Dixon II, '67, who is pastor of the Greensboro church. Elder Dixon has a B.D. degree from Andrews University. His wife is the former Rebecca Skender, '65. Klaus Willfred Kowarsch, '65, is pastor of the Goldsboro church. Donald Thomas Shelton, '69, is pastor of the Asheboro church. His wife, Anita, is a '69 SMC graduate also and has a major in behavioral science.

### **Alumni Weddings**

Lou Ellen Cruzen, '71, and Ferdinand Petty, December 27, 1972, Trenton, New Jersey.

Diana Sue Adams, '73, and Anthony Wendall Hartfield, July 1, 1973, in Apison, Tennessee.

Beverly Ann Stephens, '73, and Mark William Sorensen, July 1, 1973, in Dallas, Texas.

Mary Elizabeth Cook, '73, and Donald Ray Byard, July 8, 1973, in Cedar Lake, Michigan.

Polly Delfey Dickey, '73, and Raymond Harold Bee, July 15, 1973, in Wales, Tennessee.

Patricia Ann Tyson, '73, and Steven Wayne Foster, July 15, 1973, in Eatonton, Georgia.

Cheryl Lynn Camara, '73, and William Edward Murphy, '67, July 22, 1973, in Taunton, Massachusetts.

Gloria Jean Nies, '73, and Joseph Duke Sutherland, July 22, 1973, in Hutchison, Kansas.

Linda Faye Noss, '73, and Louis Lawrence Zumstein, July 22, 1973, in Madison, Tennessee.

Rose Marie Shafer, '73, and Frederick Ray Fuller, July 22, 1973, in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

Sharon Ruth Starr, '72, and Douglas John Smith, July 29, 1973, Mt. Pisgah Academy, North Carolina.

Shirley Jean Wilson, '73, and John Edward Anderson, July 29, 1973, in Takoma Park, Maryland.

Carol Yvonne Adams, '73, and Gary Thomas Swinyar, '73, August 4, 1973, in Shelton, Nebraska.

Elizabeth Evelyn Chapman and Mitchell Paul Nicholaides, '73, August 5, 1973, in Apison, Tennessee.

Teresa Louise Donaldson, '72,

and Frederick F. Franke, August 5, 1973. Mr. Franke is a freshman dental student at Loma Linda University.

Barbara Kumi Harold, '73, and Timothy Albert Boundy, August 5, 1973, in New Hampton, New York.

Claudia Jo Sutherland, '72, and David Lee Rose, August 5, 1973, in Goodlettsville, Tennessee.

Sherry Lynne Waters, '73, and Ronald Lee Johnson, '72, August 5, 1973, Frederick, Maryland.

Sylvia Diane Davidson, '73, and Larry Steven Spears, August 16, 1973, in Collegedale, Tennessee.

Valerie Davis Russell and Jorge David Flechas, '73, August 19, 1973, in Maitland, Florida.

Edith Marie Stone, '71, and Dr. Gary Gene Land, August 19, 1973, in Collegedale, Tennessee. Mrs. Land is working on a master's degree in music at Bowling Green University while her husband teaches history at Andrews University.

Brenda Jean Lett, '73, and Gary Dale Peterson, August 21, 1973, in Collegedale.

Darlene Ann Strayer, '73, and Jan William Hempel, August 26, 1973, in Waterloo, New York.

Diane Adair Temple, '73, and Dennis Clayton Cramer, October 21, 1973, in Wellsville, New York.

Patricia Ann Tucker, '67, and Martin Lewis Seivert, October 21, 1973, in Madison, Tennessee. Mrs. Seivert is administrative dietitian at Madison Hospital.

Sandi Kay Lechler, '73, and Donald James Pate, '73, November 17, 1973, in Ooltewah, Tennessee.

Sharon Elaine Swilley, '73, and George Martin Vandenberghe, August 20, 1972. Mrs. Vandenberghe is working for the Florida State Welfare Department in West Palm Beach. Her husband, George, is attending Dental Laboratory Technician School in West Palm Beach.

# Births

Kevin Neil, born November 17, 1972, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil R. Mc-Pherson (Jeanette Stephens, '70), '67, in Madison, Tennessee.

Deborah Janelle, born May 18, 1973, to Elder and Mrs. James K. Herman, Jr., in Hammond, Louisiana.

Russell Thomas, born May 26, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin

Michael Shafer, '68, in Park Forest, Illinois.

Geri Marie, born May 31, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. William Alvin Haupt, '72, in Orlando, Florida.

Todd Raymond, born June 11, 1972, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hollis (Geraldine Donak, '63) in Takoma Park, Maryland. Mr. Hollis is a pharmacist and Mrs. Hollis worked as supervisor in Public Health Nursing in Prince Georges County, Maryland, until the birth of their son.

Gregory Pierce, born June 22, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. George Huse Whitsett. Mrs. Whitsett is the former Susan Gardner, '70.

Wendy Faye, born June 26, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Kirk Campbell (Judy Vining, '69) in Fletcher, North Carolina. Mr. Campbell is dean of boys at Mount Pisgah Academy.

Rex Eric, born June 26, 1973, to Drs. Paul and Anette Johnson (Anette Palm, '68) in Loma Linda, California. They are living in Columbia, South Carolina.

Kimberly Kay, born July 16, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Louis Whidden, '68, in Orlando, Florida.

Chad Wesley, born July 17, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. William Kirstein (Patricia Osborne, '65) in Avon Park, Florida.

Marshall Todd, born August 5, 1973, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Marshall Vincent (Cecilia Holliman, '70) in Rocky Mount, North Carolina. Mr. Vincent teaches in a junior high school and Mrs. Vincent works part time in Nash General Hospital. The Vincents have a daughter, Julie Annette, 2 years old.

### **Obituaries**

Leslie Albert Wildes, '29, diec July 6, 1973, in Cloverdale, California. He and his wife, the former Ethel Sheldt, '29, taugh church school for 42 years. Mrs Wildes is now living with her sor in Simi Valley, California.

Elder Lewis A. Wynn, '53, war killed in a plane crash in Arizona on his way to camp meeting ir July, 1973. He was lay activities public relations, radio-television and Sabbath School secretary of the Arizona Conference at the time of his death. Before going to the Arizona Conference he server as pastor of a number of churche in the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.



